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EDITORIAL.

1916 has come. How we have longed for it. We have had enough of 1915. Surely this year will be the turning point. We all feel confident that 1916 will put an end to all our troubles. We are sure that we shall beat the Germans before the end of the Summer Term. We know we are strong and ready now. We are prepared at last.

We are already picturing the things that will happen. The Peace Celebrations, the Return of "Ours" from the Trenches, covered with glory and honours, the Banquet to the "Old Boys," when we shall listen to the tales they tell.

We can see B.C. filling up with men who long for the "open."

We are confident of prosperity smiling upon our Province.

We can see the boys returning to the old School, after a protracted absence.

All these things are vivid to our minds. We have not yet realized any of these things. It is only February.

Up to the present we have had a sorry time. From January 7th to February 21st we have not been able to play one game of football. The grounds have been covered with snow and slush.

We have been isolated. We have had "La Grippe." We have verily suffered. But we are still hopeful; we are still

smiling. We have weathered the storm. Spring is with us.
WE SHALL WIN.

It is customary in this issue to give a review of the past year's doings:

Honours, 1915.

B.C. Surveyor's Preliminary: R. Hodson and R. L. Challoner.

Royal Military College Entrance: F. H. Jones, 2nd place in Canada; R. Hodson, 11th place in Canada; C. D. Stanley, W. M. H. Holmes and R. L. Challoner.

McGill Matriculation: R. H. Finlayson (Medicine); J. Kingham (Science); C. S. George (Science); L. C. Creery (Arts).

The following, who are taking the Matriculation in two parts, satisfied in four or more subjects: W. A. B. Garrard, J. M. Nichol, C. L. Aylard, W. S. Mackenzie, E. R. Richardson, T. S. Byrn, C. A. McVittie, J. K. Stewart, W. A. Cuthbert, J. C. de Pencier.

Games

Cricket: Capt. C. Kilpatrick; the first XI. played five matches; won four; lost one.

Football: Capt. J. de Pencier; the first XV. played three matches against the High School; won two; drew one.

Hockey: Capt. J. C. de Pencier; won three, lost none. The Barnacle Cup won by the team captained by de Pencier.

Shooting: C.R.L. and Inter-School matches cancelled owing to the war; C.R.L. (miniature), not yet received; Imperial Challenge Shield, 37th place in the Empire (a prize of \$10).

Individual Championships: Head of the School, F. H. Jones. Athletics, Senior, C. Kilpatrick; Junior, G. R. Heggie. Gymnastics, C. Kilpatrick.

SCHOOL NOTES.

The following boys have joined us this term:

Robertson, Form V. (returned).

Helmcken i, Form V. (returned).

Macey, Form V. (Collegiate School).

Turner ii, Form III.a (Collegiate School).

Wenman ii, Preparatory.

Lindley, Preparatory.

We congratulate Mr. Tomlinson and all those who took part in the Christmas Play. It was a great success, some

three hundred parents and friends being present. The costumes were much appreciated, and our best thanks are due to Mr. J. W. Tolmie, a very good friend of the School, for lending them.

We are also grateful to Mr. H. J. Davies for his help and interest.

We shall remember for a long time the characters who were responsible for the following: "Squire Egan, at your service"; "Will ye try an oyster?"; "I hope it won't be long"; "Do not despond, all will be well"; "Oh, but you ARE green, Mr. Furlong"; "Oh, how my poor brain throbs when I try to think"; and the character who orders soda water, "loves salmon fishing in the 'Wivair', "loves Fanny, and is awed by mad Nancy"; and "the drunken baste."

The School Dinner passed off successfully.

At this function, de Pencier was called upon to receive the usual memento, given by Mrs. Barnacle for captaining the winning side for the Barnacle Hockey Cup.

We congratulate the following on winning their Colours on the 1st XV.: Corsan, Holms i, Appleton, Thurburn, Annance.

Jackson is to be congratulated on being made Prefect. He succeeds Innes, who left us to join the 88th.

We are sorry to lose Innes, but we think he has the right spirit.

Mr. Oxenham is to be congratulated on putting new life into the Scout movement. He has already five patrols. All are keen, and the Scout Spirit is quite noticeable.

The new Club Room of the Scouts looks very "comfy" and also businesslike. We wish them every success.

Mr. Tomlinson has taken over the Gymnastics, and the enthusiastic ones are working hard to get their places on the VIII.

We regret that the Rifle Range could not stand the strain of the snow. It presents a sorry spectacle today. We shall have to be content with an out-door range for a week or two.

The boys who are learning the "manly art" this term should be able to give a good exhibition in the November Tournament. Their instructor has had great success.

Mr. Bolton is taking a keen interest in the gardens this year. We feel sure that under his encouragement and advice those boys who make themselves responsible for a plot will be able to produce pleasing results.

The Cup will be awarded to those obtaining the highest marks, which will be awarded as follows: 1, Neatness; 2,

Colour Scheme; 3, Arrangement of Plants; 4, Size and Quality of Blooms.

We are very sorry to lose our Cadet Instructor, Lieut. Harvey, who has been offered a Company in an Overseas Battalion. We hope to secure soon a successor who will continue the good work he has done.

THE CHRISTMAS PLAY.

The "Victoria Daily Times" gave the following account of our play. We think it so excellent that we take the liberty of preserving it among our records.

"Handy Andy" Revived at Christmas Play at the University School.

"Handy Andy" has been a popular character in the nation for a long span of years, and he was brought back to special favour last evening through the medium of the Christmas Play at the University School.

Crowds of the boys' parents and other friends filled the big gymnasium for the occasion, and for two hours the amusing and artless Andy kept everyone amused.



The Christmas Play, "Handy Andy," 1915

The role was very cleverly played by Mr. A. R. Dobson, and listeners, young and old, were delighted with the manner in which their conception of the part was presented. Simple, garrulous, blundering, and unconsciously witty, the immortal invention of the late Samuel Lover lived again out of the pages of the popular boy's book.

And the same was true for the most part of all the well-known characters who appeared in the course of the no less than nine scenes that W. R. Floyd has devised in his dramatization of the story.

There was Squire Egan, very grand in knee breeches, brocaded vest and powdered wig, and the part was dignified yet humorous in the hands of Mr. A. Tomlinson. Handy Andy was practically on the stage all the time, as becomes a popular hero. But Squire Egan ran him a very close second, and was a foil as well for the red-haired dependent.

Other humorous parts fell to Mr. A. K. N. Oxenham, who was Mr. Murphy; to A. Helmcken, the drawling, lisping Mr. Furlong; and W. B. Garrard, who was the jovial Edward O'Connor. J. de Pencier as Dick Dawson was clever as one of the intrigueurs, and V. Thurburn, although appearing only a short time, gave a highly convincing bit of acting as the irate Squire O'Grady. L. Pickard, one of the smaller boys, quite audibly filled the role of Simon, the small servant.

Three of the most popular characters of the play were Oonah Rooney, Mad Nancy, and Fanny Dawson, parts filled by W. Holms, D. Small and P. R. Belson.

Mad Nancy had a highly dramatic part to sustain, and was helped by a tragic expression and a bonnet of quite original design.

Oonah Rooney was flaxen-haired and winsome, but uttered her sweet coquetries in a voice of many dimensions.

Fanny Dawson was as graceful and dignified as any daughter of Squire Egan's should have been, and was present with everyone else at the last curtain fall, where Handy Andy was found heir to unexpected fortune, a mother and a betrothed.

The realism of the play was enhanced by the elaborate costuming, due to the generosity of Mr. J. W. Tolmie, who very kindly lent the players all that was required in the way of wigs and the dress of the eighteenth century.

The staging also required considerable forethought, as no less than five settings were needed, three of which were interiors.

Mr. Tomlinson successfully carried out the duties of stage manager, ably assisted by Mr. H. Davies. S. Corsan was prop-

erty manager, and the electric lighting was managed by Messrs. King and Shore, two of the students.

Besides the play there were a number of songs by the School Glee Club, conducted by Rev. F. V. Venables and accompanied by Mr. A. R. Dobson.

The numbers were "O Canada," "The Minstrel Boy" and "March of the Men of Harlech." All were sung with spirit, enthusiasm, and a very nice sense of harmony.

At the close of the evening the School Song, the words of which was composed by the late Capt. R. V. Harvey, one-time Warden of the School, was sung by the whole School, after this inspiring chorus the National Anthem being joined in by the entire gathering.

The hall was very seasonably decorated for the occasion with cedar boughs and red and white bunting, which converted the big gymnasium into a very gay hall.

The ushers were Messrs. W. Tolmie, C. Holms, A. Innes and R. Turner.

OLD BOYS' COLUMN.

Malcolm Bell-Irving wins the D.S.O.

We are all proud to read the following: Captain Malcolm Bell-Irving, Royal Flying Corps (Special Reserve). Consistent gallantry and skill during nine months in France, notably on December 10th, between Lille and Ypres, where he successfully engaged three hostile machines.

Malcolm Bell-Irving was educated first at the old Queen's School, Vancouver, then at Loretto School. His last year was with us. During the time he was with us he made a splendid Record Card. He was a Sergeant in the Corps. He was on the Rifle X. in 1908 and 1909. He won his colours on the 1st XV. and captained the 1st XI. At the sports in 1909 he won the "Mile."

Beevor-Potts wins the Military Cross.

Lieut. Lionel Beevor-Potts has been awarded the Military Cross for coolness under fire, rescuing wounded under fire and general gallantry. Potts was with us from 1908 to 1911. He called at the School with "Cras" Shaw and our late Warden on the day before they left with the 88th for England. On arriving in England he took the Officers' Course and received a Commission in the South Wales Borderers. We next hear of his gallant conduct at Loos. "Congratters," Potts. We shall indeed welcome you home. We remember that Potts won the Victoria Cross Race in the 1910 sports.

We are sorry to hear that **Lieut. Duncan Bell-Irving** has been wounded. We learn with pleasure that he is on the high road to recovery.

Gerald Bolton, who is with the Army Medical Corps, writes to say that **Kavanagh**, an Old Boy from Vancouver, is wounded.

Lieut. H. Dobbie wrote us from Portsmouth, where he is quartered with his regiment, the Royal Berkshires. He tells us that **A. W. Taylor** has a commission in the same regiment.

Lieut. C. Kilpatrick has been selected by the 88th Batt., C.E.F., to take the physical exercise and bayonet course in Winnipeg. "Just the boy!"

Lieut. R. H. Finlayson, of the 88th Batt., C.E.F., has been stationed at Duncan. We hear with pleasure of his success. He has been arranging "another little concert" on behalf of the Red Cross. "Well done, 'Rod.'"

P. Agur, 1910-1912, paid us a visit recently. He is with the 11th C.M.R., and hopes soon to be released from the long wait to go off to the Front.

W. A. Campbell, 1910-1913, called at the School. He was on his way to Winnipeg to take the Officers' Course. He is at present with the 11th C.M.R. We learn that he was successful and hopes soon to be gazetted.

We were pleased to see **Lieut. W. H. Snyder**, 1912-1913. He has a commission in the 72nd Seaforths.

Lieut. R. H. Ker, 1906-1908, who left with the 48th Batt., has joined the Royal Flying Corps. We hear that he has already "flown" over to France.

Russell Ker, 1907-1910, who has just returned from Haileybury, has entered the R.M.C., Kingston. He has the honour of taking first place in Canada in the recent supplementary examination.

We are glad to learn that **F. H. Jones** is doing well at Kingston (R.M.C.). He has already received his Corporal's stripes.

We also heard from **Stanley** and **Challoner**, who are both working hard and with success at the R.M.C.

Lieut. G. E. Ambery, who went with the 50th, reported from England as follows: "All present and correct, Sir."

Lieut. P. R. M. Wallis, of the 16th Batt., sent us a copy of the Regimental Magazine, which is very interesting.

P. Musgrave, who is at the Naval College at Halifax, paid us a visit. He and **Creery** are holding their own there.



The University School vs. High School.

November 10th, 1915.

This, the first match of the season, was played on our ground, and resulted in a draw—0-0.

The High School brought up a very heavy team compared with ours, but we managed to hold our own. The High School started well. They kept the ball in our 25 for about the first ten minutes of play. From then the play was very even, until Corsan and Tolmie started a fine forward rush, which took the University as far as the High School 25.

The latter's three-quarters then made a good run, which took the ball as far as half-way. A free kick was awarded the University a few minutes later, and Tolmie, who took it, made a beautiful kick which found touch, gaining about forty yards. The whistle then blew for half time, with no score.

In the first few minutes of the second half the play was very even. Our three-quarters soon started a fine rush, which ended in a good run by Innes, who had very hard luck in not scoring, being forced into touch when right on the line.

For the home team de Pencier, Corsan, Tolmie and Innes played a splendid game. Much credit is due to the forwards, who played well against a much heavier team. Our line-up:

Full-back: Helmcken.

Three-quarters: Innes, Jackson, de Pencier (Capt.), Aylard.

Halves: Annance, Holms ii.

Forwards: Garrard, Tolmie, Corsan, Appleton, Thurburn, Alexander, Fraser, Bale.

The University School vs. High School.

November 24th, 1915. Won, 9-0.

The High School brought up a team slightly weaker than last time, but this was about equalized, because Garrard, one of our best forwards, was unable to play. At the start the

play was very even, but the University forwards soon began to press the High School very hard. Early in the first half de Pencier scored a very pretty try from a five yards scrum. Tolmie took the kick, but failed to convert. Towards the end of this half Holms i scored. This kick at goal was also a failure. The whistle went for half time with the score 6-0 in our favour.

In the second half the University pressed very hard right from the beginning. Thurburn succeeded in getting over from a five yard scrum. Tolmie missed the kick at goal. All through this half the home forwards got the ball out of the scrum well, and our three-quarters looked dangerous more than once, but the light was getting bad and this made accurate passing very difficult.

Although our players were much lighter we won the game by better play and superior combination.

The forwards played the usual steady game. Corsan, de Pencier, Appleton and Tolmie all played a splendid game.

Our team was as follows:

Full-back: Holms ii.

Three-quarters: Innes, Helmcken, Jackson, Holms i.

Halves: de Pencier (Capt.), Annance.

Forwards: Appleton, Tolmie, Corsan, Bale, Thurburn, Errington, Fraser, Brouse.

N.B.—The following received their Colours after this match: Innes, Appleton, Corsan, Thurburn, Annance, Holms i.

The University School vs. High School

December 14th, 1915. Draw, 6-6.

Both schools had their strongest teams on the field, and a very even match was played. Although the score was a draw, and the High School team much heavier, still the University had the better of the game all through the match.

At the beginning of the game the "School" were mostly in their opponents' 25. Two tries were scored, one by Holms and the other by Jackson, the latter scoring in a very sensational manner, after kicking and following up well. Both attempts to convert failed. After this our opponents began to play better together, and Copas soon scored for them. Attempts at goal failed. Play was then very even for a time, the ball keeping just about mid-field. High School again scored, Hanbury being responsible. However, they failed to add the necessary points by a goal kick. The whistle then went for half time, with a score of 6 all.

In the second half play was very equal, both sides at times pressing hard. Towards the end of this half our side



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nearly scored two or three times, and things were beginning to look dangerous for the High School when the whistle blew for time.

Tolmie and de Pencier deserve special praise for the splendid way in which they played throughout.

Our XV. was as follows:

Full-back: Pelly i.

Three-quarters: Innes, Helmcken ii, Jackson, Holms i.

Halves: de Pencier (Capt.), Annance.

Forwards: Garrard, Tolmie, Corsan, Thurburn, Appleton, Bale, Fraser, Brouse.

The University School vs. Old Boys.

March 11th, 1916. Lost, 6-0.

The play at the beginning of this match was very even, the University having slightly the better of the game.

Several attempts were made at scoring, but each failed through faulty passing. After about the first ten minutes of play Ashcroft sustained a dislocated shoulder, and his place was taken by McVittie.

In the first half Winch, of the Old Boys, made several good individual runs, none of which met with much success, as our boys were tackling well. Several times towards the end of the first half their forwards made determined rushes, but Holms ii managed to save the situation by good touch kicking and falling on the ball. The whistle went for half time with no score.

The second half started with very fast play, the Old Boys getting slightly the better of it. They made repeated efforts to score, and time and again de Pencier, Lennie and Corsan were conspicuous for stopping their rushes. At last, as a result of good passing, Atkins scored for them. The kick at goal failed, the angle being a very difficult one. The School team soon rushed the ball into their 25 yard line. A five yards scrum was given and our forwards heeled out well, but through lack of good passing three-quarters failed to score, although within a few feet of the line. Our opponents soon cleared, and the ball was taken to our 25. Here, after several line-outs, Hodson scored again for the Old Boys. Kick at goal failed. Our team made plucky efforts to score in the last few minutes, but of no avail.

For the Old Boys, Wade, Decker, Winch and Atkins played good games, and de Pencier, Corsan, Garrard, Thurburn and Holms ii distinguished themselves for the School. All our forwards played a very strenuous and plucky game, and did splendidly against must heavier odds. The three-quarters also tried hard to score, but the ball was too slippery for good passing. The School was without three of the regular 1st XV. players in Tolmie, Appleton and Jackson.

The teams were as follows:

OLD BOYS.

Full-back: Frampton.

Three-quarters: Nichol, McVittie, Winch, Atkins.

Halves: Ashcroft, Wade (Capt.).

Forwards: Snyder, Decker, Ramsay, Hodson, Christie, Cuthbert, Chadwick, Creery.

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Full-back: Holms ii.

Three-quarters: Aylard, McDougal, Fraser i, Holms i.

Halves: de Pencier (Capt.), Lennie i.

Forwards: Thurburn, Corsan, Garrard, Brouse, Errington, McGregor, Bale, Helmcken ii.



The Cadet Corps gives its heartiest congratulations to Lieut. Harvey on his appointment as Adjutant to an Eastern Overseas Battalion.

The Officers for this year are as follows:

Company Commander, W. Garrard.
Platoon Commander, C. J. Holms.
Platoon Sergeant, I. Brouse.

Non-Commissioned Officers:

Platoon Q.M.S., J. D. de Pencier.
Platoon O.R.C., C. Burn.
No. 1 Section Commander, S. G. Corsan.
No. 2 Section Commander, P. Belson.
No. 3 Section Commander, G. Appleton.
No. 4 Section Commander, C. Errington.
Sergeant Supernumerary, G. S. Lennie.

The following Promotions have been made this term:

Corporal Errington to Sergeant, No. 4 Section.
Private Holms to Corporal, No. 3 Section.

The Corps has now a fairly good knowledge of platoon drill, and with the advent of better weather will be able to have more extensive practice in this new form of drill.

NOTES FROM THE BUTTS.

We fear our readers, by the time they come to the end of this number of the magazine, will be absolutely weary of the frequent references to the Weather Man. However, he alone is to blame for the scanty amount of news available for this column. Not the least of the disastrous effects of the "Great Snow" of 1916 was the somewhat picturesque collapse of the Shooting Range after the last and heaviest, because wettest, fall of the season.

Since this misfortune the Seniors and Intermediates have each had one practice, the winners of the "Buttons" in each

class respectively being Percy Belson, with a score of 49 out of 50, and Barton, with 43.

At the time of writing carpenters are at work, and very soon we hope to see a new and equally efficient range taking the place of its unfortunate predecessor. Last term the Intermediates shot two matches against Chesterfield School, North Vancouver, both of which they won.

Our scores were as follows:

First Match, November, 1915.

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| R. F. Bainbridge..... | 78 | G. Lennie (Capt.)..... | 64 |
| H. Hinton..... | 75 | R. G. Heggie..... | 62 |
| J. H. Andros..... | 72 | | |
| C. A. Watson..... | 65 | Total | 416=69.3% |

Chesterfield School: Total, 385.

The University School Intermediates won by 31 points.

Return Match, December, 1915.

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| H. Hinton..... | 83 | G. S. Lennie (Capt.).. | 57 |
| J. H. Andros..... | 78 | R. G. Heggie..... | 57 |
| C. A. Watson..... | 78 | | |
| R. F. Bainbridge..... | 71 | Total | 429=71.5% |

Chesterfield School: Total, 346.

The University School won by 83 points.

The winner of the prize for the Seniors for the shooting during the term was W. B. Garrard, 116 out of 125.

For the Intermediates, C. A. Watson, after an exciting "shoot-off" with J. H. Andros. Both boys had "tied" for the prize by shooting straight through the musketry course and obtaining a second class certificate with a score of 78. In the shoot-off Watson scored 89% (remarkably good shooting for an Intermediate, 43 and 46), while Andros obtained 74.

For the Juniors, Price, who was the only boy to come successfully through the Junior Course without failure at any group, with a score of 82 out of 125.

At the end of term Mr. Bolton presented the boys with the certificates which they had won.

Out of 33 Seniors, eight obtained Marksmen's Certificates for scores of 100 or over, out of 125.

Ten obtained First Class Certificates for scores over 85 and under 100.

Nine obtained Second Class Certificates for scores between 65 and 80, while six failed to get through all the groups.

Names and scores follow:

| Seniors | Class of Certificate | Score. Max. 125 |
|------------------------|----------------------|--------------------|
| W. B. Garrard | Marksman..... | 116 |
| P. Belson | Marksman..... | 109 |
| C. Errington | Marksman..... | 104 |
| H. Thurburn | Marksman..... | 103 |
| J. H. Burne | Marksman..... | 103 |
| W. Holms | Marksman..... | 102 |
| W. A. Fraser | Marksman..... | 100 |
| J. McGregor | Marksman..... | 100 |
| J. de Pencier | First Class..... | 98 |
| M. Evans | First Class..... | 98 |
| R. Turner | First Class..... | 98 |
| G. King | First Class..... | 97 |
| G. Appleton | First Class..... | 94 |
| I. Brouse | First Class..... | 91 |
| L. Daniels | First Class..... | 90 |
| C. Holms | First Class..... | 90 |
| C. H. Copithorne | First Class..... | 86 |
| B. J. Jackson | First Class..... | 85 |
| W. Tolmie | Second Class..... | 84 |
| C. L. Aylard | Second Class..... | 84 |
| F. Shore | Second Class..... | 83 |
| A. Helmcken | Second Class..... | 80 |
| G. S. Corsan | Second Class..... | 80 |
| B. B. Pelly | Second Class..... | 77 |
| W. S. Browning | Second Class..... | 76 |
| H. McDougal | Second Class..... | 73 |
| R. D. Lennie | Second Class..... | 72 |

| Intermediates | Class of Certificate | Score. Max. 125 |
|------------------------|----------------------|--------------------|
| H. H. Hinton | First Class..... | 97 |
| F. L. S. Pickard | First Class..... | 93 |
| F. J. Barton | First Class..... | 88 |
| J. H. Andros | Second Class..... | 78 |
| C. A. Watson | Second Class..... | 78 |
| T. M. Pelly | Second Class..... | 77 |
| G. W. Heggie | Second Class..... | 77 |
| R. B. Wilson | Second Class..... | 74 |

| Juniors | Class of Certificate | Score. Max. 125 |
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| A. F. Price | Second Class..... | 82 |
| G. Griffith | Second Class..... | 73 |

The Cadet Corps are entering a team of nine for the Imperial Challenge Shield Competition (Senior) N.R.A., for which they will shoot on the Miniature Range next term, and in which we wish them every success possible.

A.K.N.O.



This term we have been trying to reorganize the Fifteenth Victoria Troop. In the past it has had a very good record, at one time possessing more First Class Scouts than the rest of the Troops put together.

For various reasons, chief among which was the departure of our late lamented Warden, Captain R. V. Harvey, the movement in the School had fallen on evil times, and lately the Scouts have only been represented by boys in the Juniors. Sufficient recruits and Old Scouts have, however, rallied to the call to give promise of great activity in the future.

We have now a special Scouting Day, and we hope very shortly to be able to hold as proud a position among the Troops of the Province as we used to do in the palmy days of the past.

This will mean real hard work for us all, but I see plenty of encouraging signs. The weather (I have come across this remark elsewhere) has been abominable, and we have had a weary period of what must have seemed to many as merely marking time, but the spirit of keenness has been kept up, and with the coming of spring and summer I have hopes of being able to give a report of real progress at the end of next term.

Unfortunately, owing to sickness, the Assistant Provincial Commissioner was unable to inspect us as he intended, but we hope to see him sometime early next term.

Mrs. Barnacle was good enough to come up to our Scout Club Room and give us a very helpful demonstration of "First Aid" work, at which many cases of broken legs, arms and uncontrollable jaws were dealt with in quite professional fashion.

We had a very interesting evening on Saturday, when Capt. Fyson kindly came up and talked to us about knots. His visit was greatly appreciated.

Mr. Chas. Jones, of Mt. Tolmie, is also taking an active interest in our doings, for which we are very grateful. He gave the Lion and Fox Patrols some splendid hints on bridge building, etc., on our half-term half-holiday, of which there is a separate account elsewhere in this number.

The Band Patrol (Bear) is at present the only Scout Band in the city, and should be a great help. They are not only a good band, but also one of the best of the patrols in regular Scout work.

When outdoor tests become possible there are many boys who will be able to earn their Second Class Badges in the near future.

Others are working for their Pioneer, First-Class, Gardener's, Cyclist, Ambulance, Horseman and other proficiency badges.

The success or failure of a Troop depends to an enormous extent on the Assistant Scoutmaster, and more especially on the Patrol Leaders. Our present body promises well, and if they will remember to keep up keenness in their Patrols, remember that they are Scouts all the time, in school, out of school, in holiday time, in term time, remember that they are part of an Empire-wide club, to which they need never cease to belong, and above all remember to keep the spirit of the Scout Law themselves, and hammer it in (gently but firmly) to the members of their Patrols, then I am perfectly certain that the Fifteenth Victoria Troop will be an honour, not only to the School, but also to the Province and the whole body of Dominion Scouts.

With best wishes to you all for a rattling good holiday.

Statistics—XV. Victoria Troop

Scout Master.....Amyas K. N. Oxenham.

Asst. Scout Master..J. H. Burne.

Patrol Leaders.....1. (Lion) W. J. Browning..2nd. H. Thurnburn.
2. (Fox) R. D. Lennie.....2nd. B. B. Pelly.
3. (Owl) G. G. King.....2nd. P. Belson.
4. (Bear) G. S. Lennie.....2nd. G. R. Heggie.
5. (Wolf) A. F. Price.....2nd. C. A. Watson.

Total Strength, 50.

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| 1 Scoutmaster. | 11 Second Class Scouts. |
| 1 Assistant Scoutmaster. | 27 Tenderfeet. |
| 5 Patrol Leaders. | 11 "Cubs." |
| 5 Seconds. | |

The Inspection.

Victoria, B.C., March 13th, 1916.

Dear Mr. Oxenham,

I write to say how pleased I was with what I saw of your Troop today, and am only sorry that unavoidable circum-

stances prevented a larger attendance. When I have had a further opportunity of seeing a full attendance I may perhaps have criticisms to make. At present I would ask you to impress on the boys what I said to them regarding Patrol Leaders and their duties, to which I attach so much importance.

It is most pleasing to see a Troop which earned so high a reputation in the past again coming to the front, and I feel sure that under your guidance it will live up to its reputation.

I shall watch the future of your Troop with the greatest interest, and I wish you and it every possible success.

Yours sincerely,

W. H. CUNLIFFE,

District Commissioner.

The above report, with the emphasis laid by the District Commissioner on the influence and duties of Patrol Leaders, not only repeats what he said to the boys on parade, but it is also an official endorsement of my last paragraph in "With the Scouts."

That you may not think it was written under the influence of Col. Cunliffe's inspection and report, I feel I must tell you that I had finished the article before the day of inspection, and before I had had any opportunity of discussing Scout policies with the District Commissioner. PATROL LEADERS TAKE NOTE!

A.K.N.O.

THE SCOUTS' FIELD DAY.

The usual "half" was given for "Half Term," and the Scouts took this opportunity of holding a Field Day. After lunch all was bustle and hurry. The band with its instruments, the cyclists with their machines, and the "Commisariat" with the provisions. Soon everybody was "loaded" and lined up on the parade ground.

The Scouts who have no bicycles were to start a few minutes ahead of the cyclists and to attempt an ambush. Mr. Jones, who had very kindly consented to help Mr. Oxenham, took charge of the non-cyclists and led them by a short cut through the fields and around to the woods which lined the road just past the church. As they had only a few minutes' start, there was no time to be lost. Shelters of fir boughs were thrown up against the snake fence and final orders given.

A few minutes later the first cyclist appeared, and close behind him came the rest. As soon as they were well into the ambush a bugle was sounded, and instantly the innocent look-

ing bushes were alive. With a cheer the ambushers cleared the fence and barred the way.

The ambush was quite successful, only one cyclist getting through.

The equipment was then collected and the march resumed. About a mile further on a halt was made and the patrols led the way into a wood, where the supplies were deposited.

The various patrols were taken to different parts and set to work. Two patrols built fireplaces, whilst the others had a lesson in bridge making from Mr. Jones. Trees were felled, limbed, and carried to the required positions. Instructions were given on finishing bridges, raft-making without nails, and other useful things.

At this point an unfortunate accident occurred. Whilst Pelly i was "barking" a tree his axe slipped and made a nasty cut on his leg. He was bandaged and laid on a bed of boughs until further help could be got. Two Scouts were sent to the School where they fortunately met Turner i, who quickly offered his car. Pelly was taken to Dr. Fraser, who did what was necessary. We are glad to know that no permanent damage has been done.

By the time that this was all over it was getting late, and everyone was beginning to think of supper. Again Mr. Jones took the lead. A roaring fire was made and the food unpacked. Some Scouts were set to work to cut up bread, whilst others collected firewood. Water for the tea was put to boil, bannocks were made, and bacon and sausages were fried. As there were not enough cups and knives to go round, everyone had to look after himself as best he could. Nearly everybody obtained a sharp pointed stick and made toast before the hot ashes. One fellow held his in the flame too long and it took fire. Although some had their bacon coated with pine needles and their sausage only half cooked, the meal was thoroughly enjoyed and no one was any the worse for it.

Soon after supper the Patrols were collected, the cooking utensils distributed, and the march home was started.

The Band worked hard and helped to keep the ranks up to "pitch" for the "march past" through the village.

We arrived home, perhaps a little tired, but all agreeing that it had been a splendid day.

M. EVANS.

FROM A DIARY.

Wednesday, February 2nd, 1916.

This day established a record in the history of the School. Although only a mile and a half from Fort Street, and

two and a half from the centre of the city, no vehicle of any description could make its way to the School.

We were completely isolated. This, surely, was the climax of a month's snow, frost and wind.

Many a time during January the cars were late owing to the snow drifts, but they continued running. The Saanich Municipality had succeeded in keeping their roads open to traffic.

But Wednesday, February 2nd, was the day of their defeat. A hurricane was blowing and it was snowing. The drifts in places were eight feet in depth. The cars found it impossible not only to run out to Mt. Tolmie, but anywhere in the city.

The sleighs were doing their best to supply the daily necessities to people who shop every day. The butcher and the baker strove hard to reach their customers, but their efforts to reach us were in vain. We are dependent on a visit from the butcher and the baker each day, and we feel it at once if these visits have to be postponed.

We felt somewhat like besieged or shipwrecked people, and began at once to sum up our resources.

The Bursar had three sacks of good flour, enough meat for one day, lots of potatoes and vegetables, coal for one day, and so on.

Unless a road could be opened up to the School, things would be very serious. It was useless to say this weather would not continue. We had had a month's most exceptional weather. Why could it not last another month?

We rang up the authorities and proclaimed our perilous state. It was no use. The day was so tempestuous that no teams could face it. However, the Reeve of Saanich, Mr. McGregor, our McGregor's father, assured us that on Thursday something should be done to clear the Richmond Road for traffic. Major Harrison, of the 88th Batt., promised to render what assistance he could. Undoubtedly something will be done.

In the meantime we killed one of our prime home-fed pigs. Also a bold and intrepid horseman was found in John de Pencier, who volunteered to make his way to Pearson's Grocery Store, where they had a limited bread supply. Accordingly, J. de P. dashed forth in snow which varied in thickness from three feet to eight feet. This bread raid was made in broad daylight on "Kitchener." Sufficient said! The result of this devotion was six small loaves. Enough for one table.

Whilst this revictualling and scheming was going on, three gangs of boys, led by the Masters, were engaged in opening up paths to the School House and the Dining Hall. It

would, indeed, be serious if the Dining Hall could not be reached. When this had been accomplished the gangs were induced to make an effort to open a path to the road and the mail box. It was a hard task, but it was accomplished. There must have been some twenty shovels at work—shovels that beat description, useful though, manufactured by one “master” mind.

We felt that everything had been done that could be done in one day.

One Master thought that we ought to attack the snow on the roofs, for one or two places, the bicycle house and the kitchens, looked as if they might give way. The bicycle house was imposed on by the “Gym,” and will certainly cave in unless relief is forthcoming at once.

In addition to these troubles, the Matron was anxiously struggling with her patients, only one of whom might need the Doctor. Fortunately the Doctor was not wanted. We got him by 'phone and he told us he was not able to fly—he is not too slight. We should have “to wait and see.”

Wednesday, February 2nd (Chinese New Year) will not soon be forgotten by those who had the **good** fortune to be at the University School when this record was made.

Thursday, February 3rd, 1916.

Although we count Wednesday, February 2nd, the “Red Letter Day,” I feel it is necessary to report progress.

Workmen are endeavouring to get a road into town. They hope to succeed ere nightfall. We are sure that sufficient progress will be made to enable the butcher and the baker to reach the School.

We are now down to one loaf. Each boy is wondering what is going to happen to it. Hong has already got orders to dig into his flour sacks.

But no, that won't be necessary yet. Garrard has just 'phoned that he and the Helmcken brothers are on their way laden with loaves and milk.

Again J. de P. and Corsan came to the rescue. Our reserve “thoroughbred” was harnessed to a home-made sleigh and after much difficulty reached the road. We waved good-bye and wished them a safe return.

Whilst they were away the clearing gangs were busy, some on the roofs of the outhouses, others widening the path cut yesterday.

We had now fixed up a road so that the coal sleigh could reach the Drill Ground. The coal question was getting very serious again. The situation was temporarily relieved by our Bursar's expert knowledge of finding coal. He and good old

Hing dug down and found a small seam. I am afraid it will soon fizzle out, but it proved that the Bursar knew where to dig. Towards the end of term we will ask him to find "gold."

The School sleigh has just returned, and they received a warm welcome, I assure you, as they came sailing down the newly cut path. We were saved again. Twenty-four real loaves, and milk from Switzerland. Well done, J. de P., not to mention the weary steed.

And now, horrible dictu—the cattle have not a scrap of "feed" left. Something must be done. We could not ask that hungry horse to journey forth again.

Someone said: "Mr. Bulman has cows; he must have hay for them." So Mr. B., J. de P. and T. C. sallied forth, each armed with a pitch fork, and ploughed their way to Mr. Bulman's. They found Mr. Bulman in the very act of procuring alfalfa for his own cows. He was glad to see us and soon placed a large bale on our forks. We stepped out carrying the precious food as on a stretcher. We arrived safely, amidst the yells of the expectant crowd. Before long the cattle were munching to their heart's content.

Again, well done Mr. B., J. de P., and T. C.

Scarce had this urgent matter been attended to when news was brought that our latest Prefect, Jackson, had cut his knee rather badly. He had been good enough to try and save some of the roofs. In attacking one he slipped off and had fallen into a covered cucumber frame and seriously cut his knee. He was quickly attended to by the Matron, and we hope he will soon be well again.

Tea and "Prep." will close another eventful day. Oh! for a change in this truly Arctic weather. "IT'S THE CLIMATE."

THE WAR.

No other conflict has after eighteen months of sternest endeavour brought less success to the aggressors and more hope of final victory for the challenged. The Imperial Chancellor in December could do nothing better to further delude the German people than assert that the Allies were beaten but would not acknowledge it. If such words of the Chancellor can convey satisfaction to his country, we need only pity German credulity. With cheap gibes also he ridiculed the position of Serbia and other small countries under Britain's aegis.

Belgium and Serbia wait and fight on. Aided as they are to the fullest by the Allies, they know full well that the hour of resurrection draws ever nearer. For the empire built with blood and iron, worshipping no higher fetish than "The Day,"

there draws, too, ever nearer the morrow of "what might have been." This-morrow can be, and could only be, the just recompense of National treachery and Imperial defiance. Well did one of Germany's own people in days gone by justly style her the "victory-intoxicated nation."

Less than half a century was sufficient to prove the false ideals of Imperial Germany. For her there remained no place in the sun till others should be fully eclipsed in the shade. For us of the British Empire there could never be question of surrendering what had been bought so dearly. In Mr. Asquith's words, we knew and felt full well, "No price can be too great when Honour and Freedom are at stake."

To win the war is our one and only object now. Much as we have cherished the tradition of voluntary service, we have let that go and resorted to compulsion. In this way we mean to make success doubly sure.

In briefly reviewing certain phases, we see the Dardanelles venture abandoned at present. This was no original part of our scheme. We undertook it to assure Russia of our whole-heartedness in the struggle. The sacrifice of noble life in this sphere brings regret to us all. To the Dominions in the Southern Ocean always belongs the glory of the heroic valour of their sons. Surely in the British firmament the Southern Cross grows more lustrous.

The land of the Pharaohs need fear no Teutonic fury. Safely ensconced at Salonika we see an efficient force, awaiting the moment of opportunity. The Berlin-Bosphorus railway is menaced here, with little hope for German schemes.

Russia's sweep through the Causasus and capture of Erzerum assures a speedy end to Turkey. With her vanishes the dream of German sway in Mesopotamia—a dream fantastic as an Eastern tale. Thus the East brings no light to Germany's aid.

Westward her dark counsels of despair have offered another vast sacrifice in the attack on Verdun. At the moment of writing the Teutonic phalanx has but shattered itself against France's heroic resistance.

Britain is receiving frequent bursts of frightfulness. This can but steel us to invincible persistence. When all alike are sacrificed to mere blood-lust, we recall the kultur-mission that was to reform the world. Outrageous villany can go little further. Before the end we know quite well fire always bursts out in her last expiring flame. Thus will it be with Germany. On the tomb of her hopes will be the tyrant's epitaph of shame.

Wilhelm II., who has said his will is the supreme law, will yet know that the heritage of Freedom cannot be wrested from us by frightfulness. At the beginning he urged his people

that the war was a question of "To be or not to be" for the Germans. Supremely confident of the invincibility of his hosts, he had no room to consider that in the hazards of war "there lies the rub." His attitude has cost us and our Allies much that we valued most. It is costing, and will cost Germany all that she values most.

Canada will soon commemorate the anniversary of grievous losses, when her heroes saved the day at Langemark. This Dominion will be prouder in future when German prestige is a thing forgotten. Our School will be rewarded with the remembrance of its old boys' deeds when "Teutonic Faith" has become a by-word among the nations.

Above all we have to remember that whilst we fight to free ourselves, we are also freeing Germany from the iron bands of Prussian domination. At some future day Germany herself may acknowledge the pity of it. Perplexing as this may be, we hold with Tennyson:

"That somehow good will be the final goal of ill."

Meantime our duty is clear. Britain has been the sure bulwark of freedom in the past. She and her Allies must be supported now, and at all costs, till the enemy is vanquished. Then, and then only, shall we realize that the best was yet to be, for "The end crowns all!"

E. A. TUNNICLIFFE.

OLD BOYS' ASSOCIATION.

The annual meeting took place at the School on Saturday, March 11th, 1916.

Mr. Barnacle, the President for 1915, was in the chair.

The following officials were present: H. Wade, Hon. Sec.; H. Winch, the only member of the committee left at home.

Also present: R. H. Finlayson, J. Nichol, W. Decker, W. H. Snyder, R. Hodson, C. Frampton, B. Atkins, L. Creery, P. J. Ramsay, G. E. Calvert.

The President gave a short address, in which he urged all Old Boys present to make greater efforts towards getting all Old Boys to join the O.B. Association. He reminded all present of the pleasure and benefits arising from a good association. He gave a vivid picture of the meeting of two Old Boys quartered in England. He was sure that if the good efforts of their Secretary were supplemented by the "esprit de corps" of the Old Boys they would soon have an association to be proud of. He pictured future meetings and banquets at the "Empress" or the "Vancouver" Hotel, where Old Boys from all over the Province would gather together annually to renew acquaintances, talk over old times and discuss ways of further

helping the Old School. He said that both he, all the Old Boys, and all the School were delighted to hear that Malcolm Bell-Irving had been awarded the D.S.O. and that Beevor-Potts had won the Military Cross. He gave them details of many Old Boys who were at the Front and in England. He said the School was justly proud of the Old Boys, and he hoped to be present at the reunion after the war.

The Secretary, Hal Wade, then gave an account of his stewardship for 1915. He said that owing to the war he had not been able to get replies from many Old Boys, as they were serving in all parts of the Empire. However, he thought that after the war there would be a grand reunion, and that he felt confident that the Association would then be placed on a sound and lasting footing. He suggested that in the near future the walls of the Assembly Room should be adorned with honour boards, containing the names of all Old Boys who were serving their Empire.

The following officials were chosen for the ensuing year: President, The Headmaster. Hon. Sec., H. Wade. Committee, R. Hodson, Victoria; H. Winch, Vancouver; L. Creery, Vancouver.

After the Old Boys' match the members of the two teams dined together at the School. The Headmaster said he was delighted to see so many Old Boys present. He congratulated them on winning the match, but jocularly reminded them that things might have been different if the School team had been able to put on their full side. However, John de Pencier the School captain, and his very light team had acquitted themselves like men, and had nothing to be ashamed of. Six points to nothing meant a well-contested game. He deplored the accident to Len Ashcroft, who dislocated his shoulder, and trusted he would soon be well enough to resume his duties with the "Timber Wolves."

The captain of the Old Boys said a few words in his best manner, congratulating them on reversing the result of last year. At the same time he thought that John de Pencier and his light team had kept them very busy.

The captain of the School team replied briefly and suitably.

The very happy proceedings were brought to a close with all present singing the "School Song" and "God Save the King."

ROLL OF HONOUR.

(Up to date as far as possible.)

Old Masters.

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| The Warden, Capt. R. V. Harvey | ...7th. Batt. | Died of Wounds. |
| C. H. Collisson |7th. Batt. | Died of Wounds. |
| A. J. Hudson |50th Highlanders. | Missing. |
| Lieut. T. G. Thomas |30th Batt. | |
| T. J. Thomas |McGill Contingent. | |
| Lieut. V. R. Bennett |Sherwood Foresters. | |
| E. Cartwright |88th Batt. | |

Old Boys.

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| Lieut. H. C. V. Macdowall | 1908 | 7th Batt. | Prisoner. |
| Pte. W. J. Bowser | 1906-09 | 7th Batt. | Killed in action. |
| Pte. B. Worsfold | 1907-10 | 16th Batt. | Killed in action. |
| Pte. W. F. Smith | 1911-13 | 7th Batt. | Died of wounds. |
| Pte. K. C. Shaw | 1908-13 | 7th Batt. | Wounded. |
| Pte. N. Caldwell | 1911-14 | 30th Batt. | Wounded. |
| Pte. T. Corsan | 1908-09 | 30th Batt. | Wounded. |
| Pte. S. Kavanagh | 1909-10 | ————— | Wounded. |
| Lieut. A. B. Irving | 1906-08 | Royal Canadian Dragoons. | |
| Lieut. R. H. B. Ker | 1906-08 | Royal Flying Corps. | |
| Lieut. G. E. Miller | 1906-08 | Oxford and Bucks., 7th Service Batt. | |
| Pte. C. Spencer | 1906-11 | 2nd C.M.R. | |
| Lieut. J. E. Walker | 1906-11 | 29th Batt. | |
| Capt. R. F. Winch | 1906-08 | C.A.M.C., No. 5 Base Hospital | |
| Lieut. S. Gillespie | 1906-07 | Argyle and Sutherland. | |
| Lieut. W. J. Pearse | 1906-08 | King Edward's Horse. | |
| Lieut. R. Bell-Irving | 1907-08 | Royal Engineers (Flying Corps). | |
| Lieut. K. Corsan | 1907-08 | 107th Regt., now 7th Batt. | |
| Lieut. J. G. Tatlow | 1907-13 | Strathcona's Horse. | |
| Pte. A. Collison | 1906-08 | 30th Batt. | |
| Pte. B. Scott | 1906-07 | 2nd C.M.R. | |
| Capt. C. V. Winch | 1907-12 | C.A.S.C., 7th Batt. | |
| Lieut. G. S. Burns | 1907-14 | 50th Gordon Highlanders. | |
| Lieut. D. Inverarity | 1907-13 | Royal Field Artillery. | |
| Lieut. R. Whittome | 1908-12 | C.A.S.C. | |
| Lieut. A. D. Bell-Irving | 1908-11 | 16th Batt., now Flying Corps. | |
| Capt. M. Bell-Irving, D.S.O. | 1908-09 | Royal Flying Corps. | |
| Lieut. L. B. Potts, M.C. | 1908-11 | South Wales Borderers. | |
| Lieut. J. E. Matthews | 1908-10 | 30th Batt. | |
| Lieut. G. E. Ambery | 1908-10 | 50th Batt. | |
| Lieut. E. A. Rand | 1908-12 | 47th Batt. | |
| Lieut. K. Creery | 1909-12 | Royal Flying Corps. | |
| Lieut. R. Crawford | 1909-12 | Royal Field Artillery. | |

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| Pte. W. T. Taylor | 1909-11 | 47th Batt. |
| Lieut. R. Beech | 1909-12 | H.M.S. Berwick. |
| Pte. N. S. York | 1909-12 | 16th Batt. |
| Capt. P. R. M. Wallis | 1910-13 | 16th Batt. |
| Lieut. D. F. Scott | 1910-12 | 48th Batt. |
| Lieut. E. D. Ashcroft | 1910-12 | Royal Engineers. |
| Lieut. K. Bovill | 1910 | 5th Regt. |
| Pte. A. Stirling | 1911-12 | 2nd C.M.R. |
| Lance-Corp. Halley | 1911-13 | 88th Batt. |
| Pte. W. Fisher | 1911-13 | 50th Gordon Highlanders. |
| Lieut. H. W. Dobbie | 1912-14 | Royal Berks. |
| Pte. E. Frampton | 1912-14 | 2nd C.M.R. |
| Pte. C. Johns | 1913-14 | 30th Batt. |
| Pte. D. H. Mackay | 1909-10 | 7th Batt. |
| Lieut. A. W. Taylor | 1913 | Royal Berks. |
| Pte. D. B. Merry | 1911 | 7th Batt. |
| Pte. A. McAnally | 1909-11 | 30th Batt. |
| Lieut. V. G. Tupper | 1911-12 | 16th Batt. |
| Lieut. E. D. Townesend | 1912-13 | Royal Field Artillery. |
| Lieut. M. Bright | 1912-13 | Royal Engineers. |
| Lieut. M. Wallich | 1913-14 | Queen's (West Surrey). |
| Lieut. C. C. Montgomery .. | 1914 | 67th Batt. |
| Lieut. Rod Bell-Irving | 1908 | 16th Batt. |
| Lieut. D. Pemberton | 1906-08 | Royal Flying Corps. |
| Lieut. W. Pemberton | 1906-08 | Royal Flying Corps. |
| Lieut. V. Sutherland | 1908-10 | 5th Regt. |
| Lieut. G. Woodward | 1908-14 | Royal Flying Corps. |
| Pte. H. F. Price | 1907-09 | McGill Contgt. (Medical). |
| Pte. S. G. Fetherstone | 1912 | 8th Batt. |
| Pte. D. Harrison | 1907-08 | C.A.S.C. Wounded. |
| Pte. P. Agur | 1910-12 | 11th C.M.R. |
| Pte. J. Wade | 1911 | C.A.M.C. (47th Regt.). |
| Pte. A. E. Williams | 1911-13 | 50th Gordon Highlanders. |
| Pte. R. E. Waldon | 1911-14 | 88th Batt. |
| Pte. C. Frampton | 1911-13 | 88th Batt. |
| Pte. H. Marr | 1909-13 | 67th Batt. |
| Lieut. R. H. Finlayson | 1912-15 | 88th Batt. |
| Lieut. C. Kilpatrick | 1912-15 | 88th Batt. |
| Lieut. V. Duke | 1912-13 | 88th Batt. |
| Lieut. K. Macdonald | 1909-12 | Royal Flying Corps. |
| Lieut. C. Galer | 1909-12 | 54th Batt. (C.A.S.C.). |
| Sergt. A. G. Bolton | 1906-08 | C.A.M.C. |
| Pte. Eric Bolton | 1906-08 | 67th Batt. |
| Sergt. D. K. Irwin | 1909-10 | 54th Batt. (C.A.S.C.). |
| Pte. K. C. Hart | 1910-13 | 47th Batt. Wounded. |
| Pte. J. Arbuthnot | 1907-12 | 67th Batt. |
| Pte. R. Arbuthnot | 1907-11 | 67th Batt. |

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| Lieut. L. E. Ashcroft | 1910-12 | 103rd Batt. |
| Lieut. C. Creery | 1910-12 | Royal Flying Corps. |
| Lieut. R. Creery | 1911-12 | Royal Field Artillery. |
| Lieut. D. Meekison | 1912 | Att. 72nd Seaforth Highlanders. |
| Lieut. W. H. Snyder | 1912-13 | 72nd Seaforths. |
| Pte. S. N. Rich | 1906-10 | C.A.S.C. (47th Batt.). |
| Pte. W. Decker | 1908-12 | 72nd Seaforths. |
| Lieut. J. Wilson | 1909 | 102nd Batt. |
| Pte. R. Kingham | 1907-15 | 88th Batt. |
| Lieut. C. Milligan | 1911-12 | 103rd Batt. |
| Lieut. W. Bealey | 1908-09 | |
| Pte. P. J. Ramsay | 1910-13 | 72nd Seaforths. |
| Pte. R. Hall | 1912-15 | 5th Regt. |
| Pte. W. Campbell | 1910-13 | 11th C.M.R. [now Lieut. in 22nd Batt.] |
| Lieut. D. Davis | 1912 | Pioneers. |
| Lieut. S. Milne | 1912 | Sherwood Foresters. |
| Pte. A. W. Innes | 1912-16 | 88th Batt. |
| Pte. W. Riley | 1912-13 | 103rd Batt. |
| Pte. H. R. Wilson | 1913-15 | 5th Regt. |
| Lieut. T. F. W. de Pencier | 1910-12 | Royal Field Artillery. |
| Pte. A. Thorsen | 1909-12 | Western Irish. |
| Lieut. F. Burton | 1913-15 | (Inns of Court). |
| M. Roe | 1909-10 | |
| S. P. McGuigan | 1908-11 | Western Irish. |
| T. Brown | 1907-08 | C.R.N.R. |
| Lieut. F. L. Baker | 1909 | 67th Batt. |
| G. F. Calvert | 1911-12 | 72nd Seaforth Highlanders, C.E.F. |
| Cave B. Cave | 1908-12 | 131st Batt. |

